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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**  
**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**  
**GROUP ART UNIT 2853**

In re Application of:

Docket No.: 01272.020495

MASAO KATO, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/995,719

Examiner: L. Tran

Filed: November 29, 2001

Group Art Unit: 2853

For: METHOD OF FILLING BUFFER CHAMBER  
IN PRINT HEAD WITH BUBBLE AND  
PRINTING APPARATUS

Date: April 17, 2003

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment After Final Rejection in the above-identified application.

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TOTAL CLAIMS	16	MINUS	20	= 0	x \$ 9 \$18	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	2	MINUS	3	= 0	x \$42 \$84	\$0.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$140°/\$280						
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Respectfully submitted,

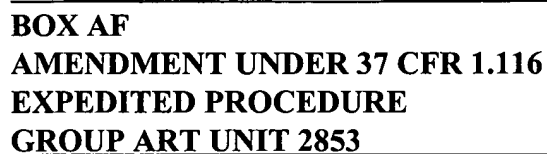
  
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## AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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## Introductory Comments

The present Amendment has been prepared in accordance with the Revised Format established by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, as permitted in the Pre-OG Notice entitled “Amendments in a Revised Format Now Permitted”.

In response to the Official Action mailed January 17, 2003, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows.